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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL**
*(Only for new nonprovisional applications  
under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))*

Attorney Docket No.

303606.3002-100

First Named Inventor or  
Application Identifier

Julie A. Kadashevich

Express Mail Label No.

ER 568537581

Title of  
Invention**Method and System for Monitoring Off-Schedule Software Agents****APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

**ADDRESS TO:** Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages **[24]** ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence  
(if applicable, all necessary)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D.
- Reference to microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy

- b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
[ ] Pages

- c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **[10]** ]  
[ ] Formal [X] Informal  
[X] Fig. of the Drawings for Publication [1]

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)  
☒ Assignee - International Business Machines Corporation  
New Orchard Road  
Armonk, New York 10504

4. ☒ Oath or Declaration/POA [Total Pages **[2]** ]

9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement [ ] Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)

10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  
[NOTE Box 5 below]

11. ☐ Information Disclosure [ ] Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations

- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting  
Inventor(s) named in the prior  
application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2)  
and 1.33(b).

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a  
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is  
considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying  
application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

14. ☐ Small Entity [ ] Statement filed in prior application,  
Statement(s) status still proper and desired

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☐ Nonpublication Request (check parent application)

17. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

18. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

[ ] Continuation [ ] Divisional [ ] Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:

Prior application information: Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS</b>	Attorney Docket Number	303606.3002-100
	Application Number	Not Assigned
	Confirmation Number	Not Assigned
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## CLAIM CALCULATION (includes any preliminary amendment)

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b) or (j))	23- 20* =	3	x \$ 18 =	\$ 54
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b) or (j))	4- 3** =	1	x \$ 86 =	\$ 86
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ 290 =	\$ 0
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a) or (h))	\$ 770
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 910
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) =				\$
	TOTAL =				\$ 910
	Surcharge – Late Filing of Declaration or Filing Fees (37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)) =				\$
	Petition for Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17) =				\$
	Assignment Recordation Fee = (only when filed with application)				\$
	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent				
	** Reissue independent claims over original patent				
	TOTAL =				\$ 0

### 1. Small entity status:

- a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. ☐ is no longer claimed.

2. ☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge deposit account number 50-1935 for any fees required under 37 CFR §1.16 and §1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application.  
A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

3. ☒ A check is enclosed for \$[910.00]. ☐ Please charge \$[ ] to Deposit Account No. 50-1935

4. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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